

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re

Applicant(s):

Fabrikant et al.

Assignee:

**KLA-Tencor Corporation** 

Title:

IMPROVED SYSTEM FOR SCATTEROMETRIC

MEASUREMENTS AND APPLICANTS

Application No.:

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Zandra V. Smith

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed on June 17, 2004, such extension allowing the undersigned until October 18, 2004 to respond, October 17 being a Sunday.

A check is enclosed that includes the amount of \$110.00, as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope address to:

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 29, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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